



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q61243

Kazuhiro TSUJITA, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/758,126

Group Art Unit: 3737

Confirmation No.: 8903

Examiner: E.M.M. Mercader

Filed: January 12, 2001

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DISPLAYING FLUORESCENCE IMAGES AND
METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ACQUIRING ENDOSCOPE IMAGES

STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please review and enter the following remarks summarizing the interview conducted on

October 5, 2004:

REMARKS

An Examiner's Interview Summary Record (PTO-413) was attached with the Office

Action dated March 23, 2005.

During the interview, the following was discussed:

1. Brief description of exhibits or demonstration: none
2. Identification of claims discussed: 1-15 and 33-38
3. Identification of art discussed: none
4. Identification of principal proposed amendments: none

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5. Brief Identification of principal arguments: Claims satisfy 35 U.S.C. § 112 because the specification provides support.

6. Indication of other pertinent matters discussed: none.

7. Results of Interview: The Examiner agreed in re-opening prosecution.

It is respectfully submitted that the instant STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW complies with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§1.2 and 1.133 and MPEP §713.04.

It is believed that no petition or fee is required. However, if the USPTO deems otherwise, Applicant hereby petitions for any extension of time which may be required to maintain the pendency of this case, and any required fee, except for the Issue Fee, for such extension is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 19-4880.


Respectfully submitted,

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